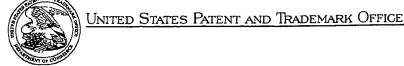




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The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 10, 2004, enclosed herewith are the following:

- 1. Copy of the Notice
- 2. Fully executed Declaration in 3 pages
- 3. 1 sheet formal drawings
- 4. A credit card payment form

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